

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No : 10/559,887 Confirmation No.: 2831
Applicant : Pagé *et al.*
National Phase Fld (371) : 12/7/2005
TC/A.U. : 1626
Examiner : STOCKTON, Laura Lynne
Docket No. : 101102-1P US
Customer No. : 22466
Title : Benzimidazole Derivatives, Compositions Containing
Them, Preparation Thereof and Uses Thereof

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 18, 2006, together with a petition for two-month extension under 37 CFR §1.136(a), please amend the application as follows and Applicants respectfully request for reconsideration for the reasons stated below:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract are on page 8 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.